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In re application of : **Confirmation No. 3159**  
Hiroyoshi MATSUMURA et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2004\_1805A  
Serial No. 10/538,510 : Group Art Unit 2874  
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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 18, 2007, Applicants herein provide the following amendments and remarks.

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